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Patent No.: 6,815,531 B1
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For: TUMOR ANTIGEN PROTEINS, GENES THEREOF, AND
TUMOR ANTIGEN PEPTIDES

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REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.322

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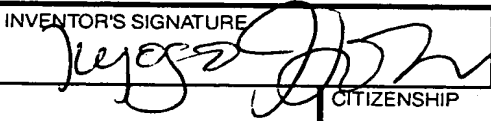
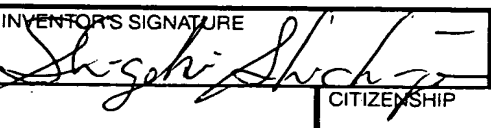
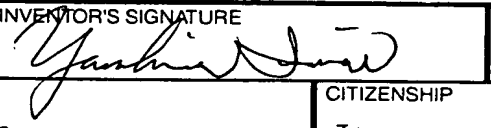
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